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**Cc:** [Bordelon, David](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Delta Shipyards Treatability Tests  
**Date:** 01/08/2013 10:02 AM

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Let's shoot for Tuesday at 10.

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Gary –

We still need to set up a time to discuss the Technical Plan for the Treatability Studies as well as finalizing the treatability cleanup standards. Please let me know what day and time is convenient for you. Hope you had a good holiday break.

Thanks,



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Gary –

Would you be available tomorrow or anytime this week to discuss this Technical Plan for treatability studies? I just want to make sure that we will provide you with the information and the document you need.

Thanks,



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I think we need a technical plan with DQOs that weston should prepare to insure we are gathering the information we need to do this properly.

Gary

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Gary –

The representative at the lab indicated that once we decide on the treatability test criteria, they will provide a proposal that will define: 1) the test methods to be conducted; 2) the number tests to be completed; 3) the expected turnaround time for test results; and 4) the cost quote for completing agreed upon deliverables. Is this the type of information you had in mind when you mentioned the treatability sampling plan? If so, I think the laboratory proposal document will cover the items of concern.



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Jeff:

I will need a treatability sampling plan so that we know what is going to happen and how we are going to accomplish the work. Let me know what we can do.

Thanks

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Jeff:

I am a little overloaded right now, let me look at this stuff sometime this week and I will get back to you. Does this company push proprietary stuff or are they unbiased?

Thanks

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Gary –

I spoke with a Kemron Environmental representative that has conducted treatability tests for some Weston projects. During our conversation he indicated that were about five criteria/objectives that should be defined prior to test analysis. Those items include:

- 1) Analytical criteria – I think you have decided on Industrial and LARECAP screening levels.
- 2) Unconfined Compressive Strength – John Halk indicated 8 psi, the rep indicated that they typically have a UCS criteria of 50 psi.
- 3) Volume Expansion – This test would be conducted if there was a concern of expansion of the solidified waste within a defined area.
- 4) Permeability Tests – He mentioned that the standard permeability value is  $10^{-6}$ , and the treatability tests results should be a factor of 2 less than the standard.
- 5) Leachate Tests – The state may want SPLP; there may be other EPA approved leachate tests that are more representative of real world conditions. (Solidified Mass/ANS).

Once we define the criteria/objectives, the lab can submit a proposal outlining the number of tests, completion date and costs. Should we set up conference call to discuss?



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